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QTE:

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FM AMCONSUL MADRAS

TO RUSBAE/AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI 5369

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SUBJECT: TAMIL DAILY UNCOVERS BLITZ-TYPE "POLT"

1. LEFTIST CONGRESS AMB PRO COMMUNIST TAMIL LANGUAGE
MADRAS DAILY MAKKAL KURAL (CIRCULATION 100,000) RAN BLITZ-TYPE
ARTICLE MAY 12 ENTITLED QTE SINSITER AMERICAN PLAN TO TOPPLE THE
RULING PARTIES IN SRI LANKA AND INDIA UNQTE. AFTER DWELLING AT
LENGTH ON ALLEGED ACTIVITIES OF QTE DREADED CIA UNQTE AGAINST
GOI AND GOSL, ARTICLE CONCLUDES BY LINGING CIA WITH DEMAND
FOR AUTOMY OF TAMIL NADU. QTE IT MUST BE NOTED THAT THE
DEMAND FOR AUTONOMY IS STEADILY INCREASING IN TAMIL NADU. IT
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IS UNDERSTOOD THAT NEW DELHI HAS GIVEN DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS TO

ITS CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE IN MADRAS TO FOLLOWING CLOSELY THE
ACTIVITIES OF THE SEPARATISTS. NEW DELHI SUSPECTS CIA HAND
IN THE DEMAND FOR STATE AUTONOMY WHICH HAS GAINED MOMENTUM OF
LATE IN TAMIL NADU UNQTE. SUMMARY OF ARTICLE BELOW.

2. MOST OF ARTICLE DWELLS ON QTE PLOT UNQTE TO USE SRI LANKA
FOR ABOVE PURPOSES. FIRST SENTENCE STATES QTE THE AMERICAN CIA
IS WORKING HAND IN GLOVE WITH THE SRI LANKA OPPOSITION PARTY
THE UNP TO TOPPLE THE BANDARANAIKE GOVERNMENT. INFORMED SOURCE
IN DELHI DISCLOSED TODAY UNQTE. THEN ARTICLE STATES THAT QTE
IN A SECRET MESSAGE SENT FROM COLOMBO, THE GOSL HAS WARNED
NEW DELHI ABOUT A SMILAR CI-SPONSORED PLAN TO DISLODGE
MR'S GANDI'S GOVERNMENT UNQTE THE CIA, ARTICLE SAYS PLANNED
TO USE SRI LANKA AS A BASE FOR ANTI-INDIAN SABATAGE AT A TIME
WHEN SEPARATIS ELEMENTS ACTIVE IN SOUTH INDIA. FOUR US
EMBASSY COLOMBO OFFICIALS AMBASSADOR VAN HOLLEN HIGHAM, HAWBAER
AND MONTGOMERY, ARE INVOLVED IN CONSPIRACY. DURING HIS VISIT
IN MARCH JAMES LEADER HAD MEETINGS WITH SRI LANKA OPPOSITION
PARTIES ARRANGED BY VAN HOLLEN. HOWEVER GOSL THWARPED OPPOSITION
PLOT BY BANNING OPPOSITION PARTIES AGITATION AND CLOSING SELON
TIMES.

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